## MANY FAVOR LIFE INTEREST BY ARTISTS IN THEIR WORK

Sculptors and Painters Believe New Law Would Be Boon-Some Hold That Plan Could Not Be Made Feasible-Legality of Move Doubted.

In response to a request for an opin-ion upon the campaign of the Authors Carriere, Puvis de Chavannes and so League to obtain for artists and sculptors a life interest in their work The Sun has received a number of letters from artists and experts prominent in the world of art which it is hoped will liminate those who are trying to have the law passed.

It is just, then, that when fame arrives he who has enriched the speculator by his genius should participate in the benefits realized upon it afterward. In other days, in the epochs of great art—or, to put it better, when art was one of the reigning forces governing intellect—one was entirely ignorant of the "market value" of works of art. League to obtain for artists and sculp- many others!

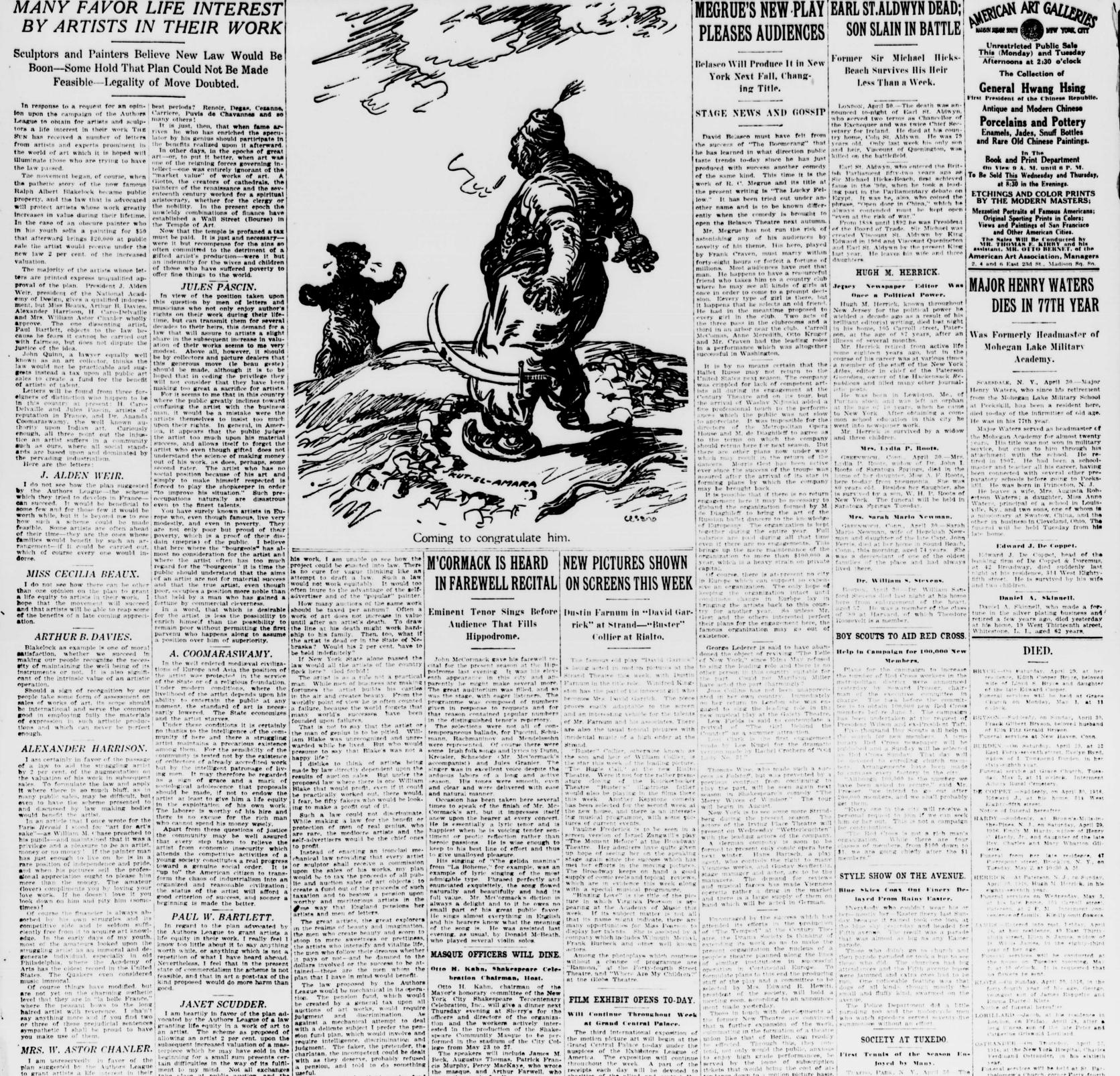
The movement began, of course, when the pathetic story of the now famous Ralph Albert Blakelock became public property, and the law that is advocated will protect artists whose work greatly increases in value during their lifetime. In the case of an obscure painter who in his youth sells a painting for \$50 that afterward livings \$20,000 at public must be paid. It is just and necessary—

ters are printed express unqualified approval of the plan. President J. Alden

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### JULES PASCIN.



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# MEGRUE'S NEW PLAY EARL ST.ALDWYN DEAD; PLEASES AUDIENCES SON SLAIN IN BATTLE

Belasco Will Produce It in New York Next Fall, Chang-

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Former Sir Michael Hicks-Beach Survives His Heir Less Than a Week.

London, April 30.—The death was announced to-night of Earl St. Aldwyn, who served two terms as Chancellor of the Exchequer and was twice Chief Sec-David Belasco must have felt from the success of "The Boomerang" that years old. Only last week his only son

produced with success another comedy of the same kind. This time it is the work of R. C. Megrue and its title at the present writing is "The Lucky Fellow." It has been tried out under another name and is to be known differently when the comedy is brought to open the Belasco Theatre next autumn.

Mr. Megrue has not run the risk of astonishing any of his audiences by novelty of his theme. His hero, played by Frank Craven, must marry within forty-eight hours or forfeit a fortune of millions. Most audiences have met that

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